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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1460.1014
Application Number	09/739,218
Filing Date	December 19, 2000
First Named Inventor	Yutaka KAI et al.
Group Art Unit	2828

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

110.00

Examiner Name

Tuan M. Nguyen

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	- 18 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	- 6 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>May 4, 2003</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$410); 3 months (\$930); 4 months (\$1,450); 5 months (\$1,970)):					110.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 110.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 110.00

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- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
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| Deposit Account Name | STAAS & HALSEY LLP |
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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May 29, 2003

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yutaka KAI et al.

Serial No. 09/739,218

Group Art Unit: 2828

Confirmation No. 3091

Filed: December 19, 2000

Examiner: Tuan M. Nguyen

For: WAVELENGTH-TUNABLE STABILIZED LASER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 4, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on May 4, 2003. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to June 4, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please REPLACE claims 1 and 14-17 in accordance with the following:

1. (TWICE AMENDED) A device comprising:
- a light source having a plurality of lasers to oscillate at a plurality of wavelengths;
 - an etalon filter having a periodic transmittance-wavelength characteristic for receiving laser light output from said light source;
 - light detecting means for receiving laser light output from said etalon filter and detecting light intensity of the received laser light; and
 - controlling means for generating oscillation of any one of said plurality of lasers at a desired wavelength, and for controlling an oscillation wavelength of the laser so that an output value of said light detecting means becomes equal to a target value corresponding to said

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